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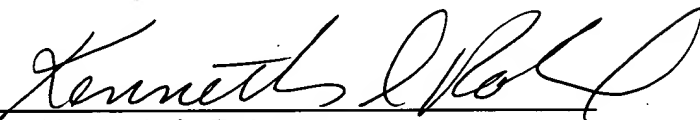
REMARKS

In view of the foregoing, Applicant submits that the claims 1-42, as amended and newly presented, are not anticipated by or obvious in view of Kim (USPN 5,995,133) and Collings (USPN 5,828,402) and, thus, meet the requirements for patentability. Applicants respectfully request allowance of the application.

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